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## PREFACE

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Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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## ALMA-ATA BARRACKS GORNY GIGANT

(43-13N 076-57E)

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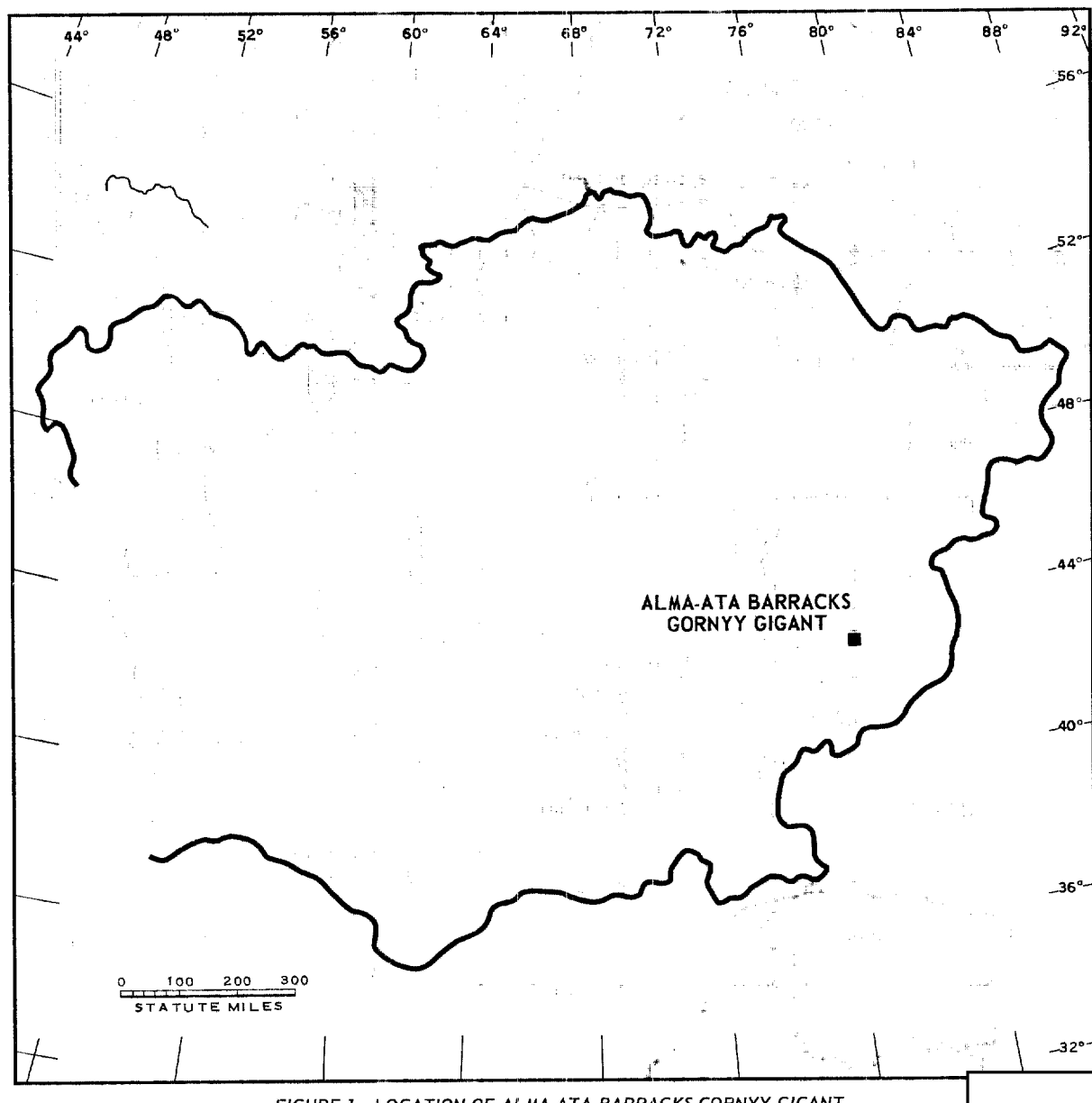


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF ALMA-ATA BARRACKS GORNY GIGANT.

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FIGURE 2. ALMA-ATA BARRACKS GORNYI GIGANT, ALMA-ATA, USSR,

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## SUMMARY

Alma-Ata Barracks Gornyy Gigant is located in the southern part of Alma-Ata (Figure 1). The installation covers approximately 120 acres, is secured, and contains 1 administration building, 1 barracks/administration building, 9 barracks, 2 probable quarters, 8 storage buildings, 3 vehicle/equipment sheds, 1 vehicle/equipment maintenance building, 15 support buildings, and 2 other buildings in a separately secured area. Training facilities include an athletic field, a parade ground, a

personnel obstacle course, and an unidentified training facility (Figures 2 and 3).

The area was covered on [ ] mission in [ ] and [ ] missions between [ ]

Comparative analysis reveals that 2 barracks were constructed between [ ] and [ ]. Three barracks, 1 storage building, 2 vehicle/equipment sheds, and 1 support building were first observed on [ ] coverage.

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## DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Road Service

Urban streets serve the installation.

Administration and Troop Housing Area

Area D contains 1 T-shaped multistory administration building, 4 U-shaped multistory barracks, 5 multistory barracks, 2 probable quarters, and 5 support buildings. One barracks was observed under construction in [ ]

[ ] One barracks was constructed between [ ] and 3 barracks were constructed between [ ]

General Storage Area

Area E contains 5 storage buildings and 7 support buildings. One storage building was first observed in [ ]

POL Storage Area

Fourteen medium POL tanks are located at 43-17N 076-57E.

Other Buildings

Area H is separately secured and contains 2 buildings. The area was formerly a vehicle/equipment park.

Equipment Storage/Maintenance Areas

Area J1 is separately secured and contains 3 vehicle/equipment sheds (170 by 30 feet, 140 by 55 feet, and 115 by 40 feet) and 1 support building. Two sheds and the support building were first observed in [ ]

Area J2 is partially separately secured and contains a 260- by 60-foot vehicle/equipment maintenance building, 3 storage buildings, 1 barracks/administration building, and 2 support buildings.

Athletic Fields

Area K1 is an athletic field.

Area K2 is a parade ground.

Special Training Facilities

Area S is an obstacle course for personnel.

Unidentified Facilities or Tracking Activity

Area T is an unidentified facility consisting of a cleared linear area with a building at one end. The area formerly contained a small-arms firing range.

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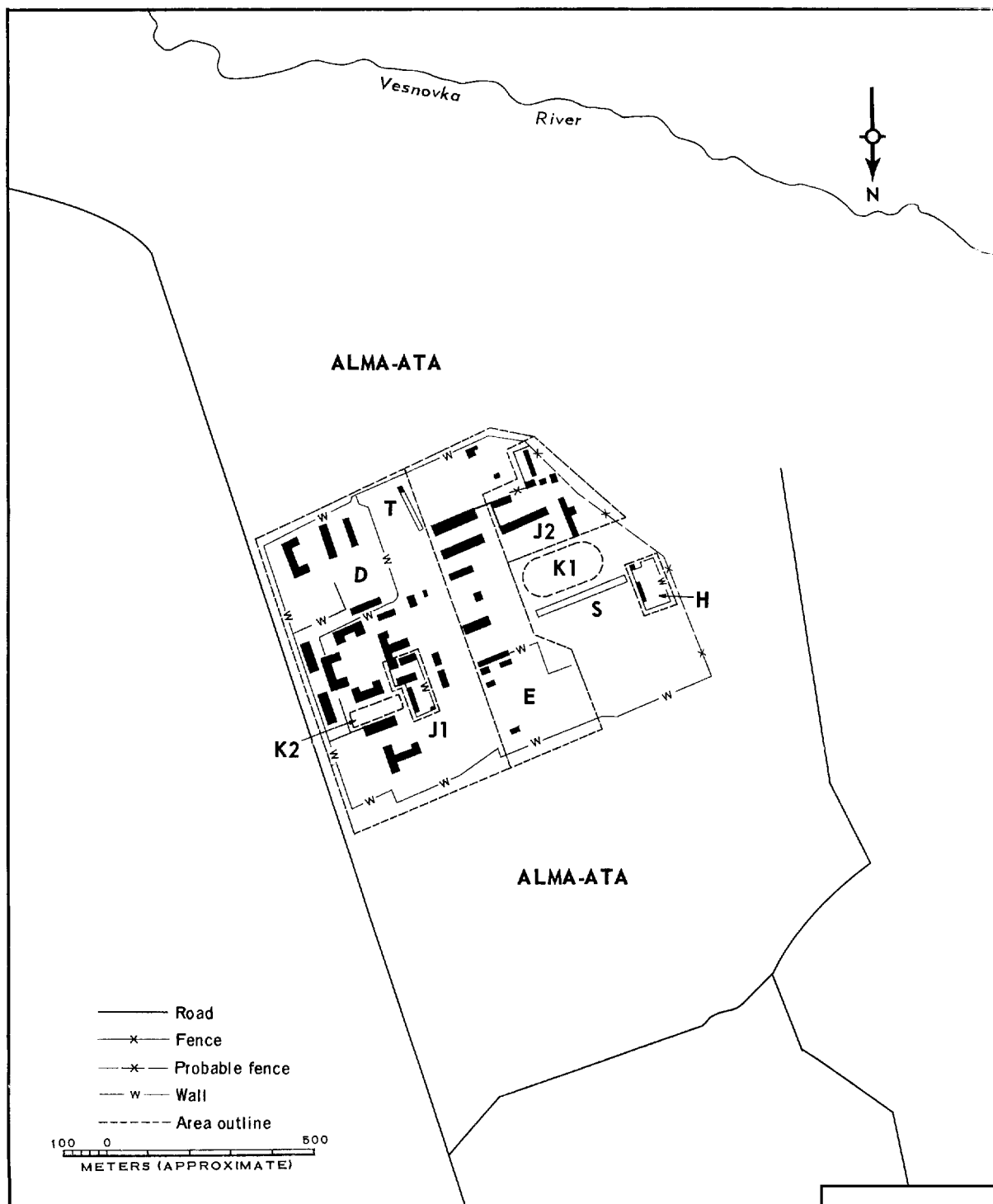


FIGURE 3. ALMA-ATA BARRACKS GORNY GIGANT. Sketch compiled from

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